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Sir:

In response to the FINAL Office Action mailed August 14, 2009, the Office is respectfully requested to consider and enter the following amendments and remarks in the above-identified application. The present response is timely filed before November 14, 2009.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 7.

Two PTO-1449 forms are attached.